## GOAL #2: Protecting America's Waters

Program #4500: Surface Water Regulation

**Objective 2.2**: Protect & Restore Watersheds & Aquatic Ecosystems

## TASK 1.3.7: 305(b) Water Quality Assessment Report and 303(d) List

Develop Integrated Report and list of impaired waters.

GRANT	OUTPUT DESCRIPTION	EVALUATION, DATE OR QUANTITY (CUMULATIVE) T=TARGET A=ACTUAL	RESPONSIBLE SECTION/ STAFF
PPG	1) Finaize 2012-2014 305(b) Integrated Report and	T =	Surface Water
	303(d)-List.		
NPS in PPG	a) 45-day AAR Notice begins	a) <del>7/1/14</del> <mark>12/5/14</mark>	
	b) Submit 303(d) List to EPA for approval	b) <del>9/26/14</del> <mark>2/2/15</mark>	
	Goal 1, obj. a, strategy i		
PPG	2) Identify waters that were either delisted or	T =	Surface Water
	showing water quality improvements as		
NPS in PPG	candidates for SP-12 or W-10 success stories.		
	Improvements in both nonpoint and point sources		
	will be evaluated.		
	a) Develop list of candidate waters	a) 12/14	
	b) Draft success stories and submit to EPA	b) 6/15	
	Goal 4, obj. a, strategy i; Goal 4, obj. b, strategy i		
PPG	3) Begin 2016 305(b)/303(d) Report/List.	T = 4/16	Surface Water
	Goal 1, obj. a, strategy i		
NPS in			
PPG			

1.3.7 - FTE Funding Source	FTE	Personnel	ERE	Indirect	Total
NPS in PPG	0.62	31,459	13,842	21,269	66,570
PPG	0.56	30,098	13,243	20,349	63,690
TOTALS	1.18	61,557	27,086	41,617	130,260

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### **TASK 1.3.8: TMDL Development and Implementation**

Develop TMDL studies and implementation plans to improve surface water quality. Conduct effectiveness monitoring to determine improvements in water quality after BMPs have been implemented.

GRANT	OUTPUT DESCRIPTION	EVALUATION, DATE OR QUANTITY (CUMULATIVE) T=TARGET A=ACTUAL	RESPONSIBLE SECTION/ STAFF
PPG	1) TMDL Reports	T = Semi-Annual Status Table	Surface Water
NPS in PPG	<ul> <li>a) Submit 6 TMDL reports to EPA for final approval by June 2015.</li> <li>b) Complete 1<sup>st</sup> (30 day) public notice for 5 additional TMDLs by June 2015; (<i>Refer to Table 1 - TMDL Development.</i>)</li> </ul>	Updates	
	Goal 1, obj. c, strategy i		
PPG	2) Continuing data collection and analysis for TMDL development. Target is 17 TMDLs on 7	T = Semi-Annual Status Table Updates	Surface Water
NPS in PPG	waterbody segments; ( <i>Refer to Table II - Continued TMDL Development.</i> ) Goal 1, obj. c, strategy i		
PPG	3) Conduct effectiveness monitoring.	T = Semi-Annual Status Table	Surface Water
110	a) Monitor the remedial activities on 3 Measure	Updates	Surface Water
NPS in PPG	W waterbodies.  b) Support WQIG Unit efforts to conduct BMP evaluations of past 319 projects as discussed in Task 1.3.9 #7.  c) Coordinate with WQIG Unit to track progress in meeting WQD Performance Measure on 5 waters.  d) Coordinate with NRCS to conduct effectiveness monitoring on NWQI watershed; (Refer to Table 3 - Effectiveness Monitoring.)  Goal 4, obj. a, strategies i & ii		
PPG	4) Develop TMDL implementation plans.	T = Semi-Annual Status Table	Surface Water
	a) Complete 1 TMDL implementation plan	Updates	
NPS in PPG	<ul> <li>b) Determine status of Phoenix Area Urban         Lake Management Plans     </li> <li>c) Support and participate in updating existing         WIPs and development of Santa Cruz WIP             (Refer to Table 4 Implementation Plans,</li></ul>		

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TASK 1.3.	8: TMDL Development and Implementation (Cont'd	)				
GRANT	EVALUATION, DATE OR RESPONSIBLE					
PPG	<ul> <li>5) Coordinating Efforts with EPA <ul> <li>a) TMDL staff will participate in monthly conference calls to discuss TMDL development, implementation and effectiveness monitoring results. TMDL staff will join EPA Management, ADEQ Management and Planning Staff on a separate quarterly call to discuss budget related issues (see Task 1.5.2, Deliverable 3c).</li> <li>b) Staff will participate in testing of FY 16 Pilot Measure with EPA headquarters and R9.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	T = Monthly	Surface Water			
	6) Continue to implement TMDL/319 Kaizen and TMDL and Assessment Unit Staff Workout	T = Provide EPA with quarterly GSD updates	Surface Water			

1.3.8 - FTE Funding Source	FTE	Personnel	ERE	Indirect	Total
WQFF-AZPDES NPS in PPG {Match}	0.04	2,533	1,115	1,713	5,360
PPG	0.48	31,082	13,676	21,014	65,772
NPS in PPG	2.70	146,746	64,568	99,212	310,526
WQARF NPS in PPG (Match)	0.66	28,384	12,489	19,190	60,063
Contract: TMDL Sampling (WQARF)					34,000
Contract: TMDL Sampling (PPG)					35,000
Contract TMDL Sampling (NPS in PPG)					10,000
Contract: TMDL Sampling (NPS P&A Base)					24,000
Contract: TMDL Sampling (NPS P&A Incre)					6,000
TOTALS	3.88	208,745	91,848	141,129	550,721

action items. Duplicate reporting,-see 1.3.9 #8

# TMDL Projects Quarterly Status 1.3.8 Table 1 – TMDL Development Project Completion by June 2015

Segment (impairment)	able 1 – TMDL Development Project (   Milestone (target)	Actual/Comments
Watson Lake (nutrients, high	45-day AAR Notice begins	
pH, low D.O.)	(12/12/14)	
	45-day AAR Notice ends (1/26/15)	
	Submit final report to EPA (2/7/15)	
Granite Creek- headwaters to	30-day public comment period ends	
Willow Creek (Low D.O., E.	(11/12/15)	
coli)	45-day AAR Notice begins (3/6/15)	
	Submit final report to EPA (5/4/15)	
Miller Creek (E. coli)	Same schedule as Granite Creek <i>E. coli</i> TMDL	
Manzanita Creek (E. coli)	Same schedule as Granite Creek <i>E. coli</i> TMDL	
Butte Creek (E. coli)	Same schedule as Granite Creek <i>E. coli</i> TMDL	
Lyman Lake (Hg in fish tissue)	Complete Data Summary Report (10/1/14)	
Alamo Lake (Hg in fish tissue)	Complete Data Summary Report (2/27/15)	
Parker Canyon	Finalize Data Summary Report (12/19/14)	
Queen Creek- headwaters to	Public Comment Period begins	
Superior WWTP (Cu, Pb)	(3/6/15)	
	45 day AAR Notice begins (1/15/15)	
Queen Creek- Superior WWTP		
to Potts Canyon (Cu)	Same schedule as Queen Creek	
Queen Creek- Potts Canyon to		
Whitlow Dam (Cu)	Same schedule as Queen Creek	
Arnett Creek- Headwaters to		
Queen Creek (Cu)	Same schedule as Queen Creek	
Unnamed Trib to Queen Creek		
(-991) (Cu)	Same schedule as Queen Creek	
Unnamed Trib to Queen Creek		
(-1843) (Cu)	Same schedule as Queen Creek	
Unnamed Trib to Queen Creek		
(-472) (Cu)	Same schedule as Queen Creek	
Pinto Creek- headwaters to Ripper Spring* (Cu)	Complete Draft TMDL Report (12/5/14)	
	Public comment period begins (2/2/15)	
	45-day AAR Notice begins (5/29/15)	
Pinto Creek- Ripper Spring to Roosevelt Lake* (Cu)	Same schedule Pinto Creek above	
Gibson Mine Tributary - Headwaters to Pinto Creek* (Cu)	Same schedule Pinto Creek above	
Five Point Mountain- Headwaters to Pinto Creek* (Cu)	Same schedule Pinto Creek above	
Gila River-Centennial Wash to Gillespie Dam (Se, B)	Public comment period begins (12/8/14)	
	45-day AAR Notice begins (4/17/15)	

<sup>\*</sup>completion dependent upon adoption of Pinto Creek site specific copper standard

# TMDL Projects Quarterly Status 1.3.8 Table 2 – Continued TMDL Analysis and Development

Segment	Impairment	Purpose	Comments
Mule Gulch- headwaters to	Cu	Coordinated monitoring with	
Above Lavender Pit		FMI to determine current WQ	
		status	
Mule Gulch- Above	Cu, pH	Coordinated monitoring with	
Lavender Pit to Bisbee		FMI to determine current WQ	
WWTP		status	
Mule Gulch- WWTP to	Cd, Cu, pH, Zn	Coordinated monitoring with	
Highway Bridge		FMI to determine current WQ	
		status	
Brewery Gulch- headwaters	<del>pH</del> <mark>Cu</mark>	Coordinated monitoring with	
to Mule Gulch		FMI to determine current WQ	
		status	
Gila River-Coyote Wash to	Se, B	Complete delist report (9/1/14)	
Fortuna Wash			
East Verde River-American	As	Complete draft TMDL or delist	
Gulch to Verde River		report (10/1/14)	
Big Bug Creek Watershed	Metals	Complete data summary report	
Project		(12/31/14)	
Santa Cruz River WIP	E. coli	Monitor as needed to support	
(includes 3 impaired		development of WIP	
reaches)			

# TMDL Projects Quarterly Status 1.3.8 Table 3 – Effectiveness Monitoring

Segment	Impairment	Purpose	Comments
Boulder Creek	As, Cu, Zn	Measure W/WQD PM	
Pinto Creek	Cu	Measure W/WQD PM	
Turkey Creek	Cu, Pb	Measure W/WQD PM	
Tonto and Christopher Creeks	Nitrogen and <i>E. coli</i>	WQD PM	
Upper Little Colorado River	Turbidity	WQD PM/NWQI	
San Pedro NWQI watershed	E. coli	NWQI	
Additional WQD PM waters as warranted		WQD PM	

Measure W- 2002 Baseline Waters

WQD PM- Water Quality Division Performance Measure NWQI- NRCS National Water Quality Initiative

# TMDL Projects Quarterly Status 1.3.8 Table 4 –Implementation Plans

Segment	Comments
Determine status of Phoenix Area Urban Lake	
Management Plans- develop or implement as	
needed	
Queen Creek (multiple reaches, 1 TIP)	

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## TASK 1.3.9: NPS Base Program Management and 319(h) Project Management

Plan, manage and implement a Nonpoint Source Pollution Program, including the development of watershed management and watershed implementation plans.

GRANT	OUTPUT DESCRIPTION	EVALUATION, DATE OR QUANTITY (CUMULATIVE) T=TARGET A=ACTUAL	RESPONSIBLE SECTION/ STAFF
NPS in PPG	Provide technical support to watershed groups and other entities to address NPS pollutant impacts and conduct education/outreach efforts to increase public awareness of NPS impacts to surface and groundwater resources.	T = As requested	Surface Water
	a) Statewide: Participate in education events to present on nonpoint source issues upon request. Provide ADEQ data/assistance with data interpretation and address public questions or concerns as requested.	a) T = As requested	
	b) Targeted Watersheds: Partner with other state and federal programs to provide watershed-specific education about BMPs that both protect water quality and provide other benefits to land owners/managers.	b) T = 5/15	
	c) Provide maps and GIS assistance to internal and external customers assisting with local sampling and volunteer training efforts.  Goal 1, obj b; Goal 3, obj b; Goal 4, obj a, strategy i;	c) T = As requested	
NPS in PPG	Provide oversight of existing partnership agreements with other state and Federal agencies.     Update as necessary to better reflect NPS     Management Plan goals. FY14 efforts will focus	T =	Surface Water
	on: a) Coordinating with NRCS to conduct effectiveness monitoring in NWQI watersheds and update target watershed recommendations as needed. (Also see Task 1.3.8)	a) Ongoing	
	<ul> <li>b) Coordinate with ADOA and ASLD on the Hillside Mine lower tailings pile remediation project.</li> <li>i) MOU</li> <li>ii) Access agreements</li> </ul>	b) Ongoing	
	iii) Design phase iv) Construction phase c) Updating existing MOU with Arizona Game & Fish	c) 9/14	
	Goal 2, obj a, strategy vii; Goal 3, obj c, strategy i		

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TASK 1.3.9: NPS Base Program Management and 319(h) Project Management (Cont'd)

GRANT	OUTPUT DESCRIPTION	EVALUATION, DATE OR QUANTITY (CUMULATIVE) T=TARGET A=ACTUAL	RESPONSIBLE SECTION/ STAFF
NPS in PPG	3) Update the Impaired Waters Improvement Table to reflect the most recent assessment and listing information, funding priorities and partnerships.	T = 9/14	Surface Water
	Goal 1, obj b, strategy i; Goal 4, obj b, strategy i		
NPS in PPG	4) Watershed Planning and Implementation (Refer to Table 1.3.9: Status of Targeted Watershed Activities.)	T =	Surface Water
	<ul><li>a) Santa Cruz watershed plan development</li><li>i) Finalize sampling plan with WIC</li></ul>	ai) 7/14	
	ii) Initiate preliminary watershed surveys and data collection activities	aii) 8/14	
	iii) Initial draft of watershed plan submitted to EPA for comment	aiii) 6/15	
	<ul><li>b) Granite Creek watershed plan update</li><li>i) Submit draft update to EPA for</li></ul>	bi) 4/15	
	comment ii) Submit final update to EPA for approval	bii) 6/15	
	4a: Goal 1, obj c, strategy ii; 4b: Goal 1, obj c,		
NPS Proj 24	strategy iii  5) Solicit, evaluate and select WQIG applications.	T =	Surface Water
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PPG	a) WQIG Cycle 15 i) Technical Review and applicant presentations	ai) 7/14	Director
	ii) Final evaluation and funding recommendations	aii) 8/14	
	iii) Develop and execute grant agreements	aiii) 9/14	
	iv) Perform preliminary site visits and collect data to assess pre-implementation site and water quality conditions b) WQIG Cycle 16	aiv) 10/14	
	i) Conduct scoping meetings in targeted watersheds to encourage the development of WIP implementation projects.	bi) 4/15	
	<ul><li>ii) Release Cycle 16 RFGA</li><li>iii) Develop and conduct grant workshops and other types of outreach for grants,</li></ul>	bii) 5/15 biii) 6/15	
	including providing technical assistance and training to improve the quality of grant proposal submissions		
	Goal 2, obj b, strategy i; Goal 3, obj b, strategy i; Goal		
	3, obj b, strategy ii		

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## TASK 1.3.9: NPS Base Program Management and 319(h) Project Management (Cont'd)

GRANT	OUTPUT DESCRIPTION	EVALUATION, DATE OR QUANTITY (CUMULATIVE) T=TARGET A=ACTUAL	RESPONSIBLE SECTION/ STAFF
NPS in PPG	<ul> <li>6) Oversee previously awarded 319 projects and contracts.</li> <li>a) Approve reporting and reimbursement requests for active projects.</li> <li>b) Oversee UA contracts to: <ol> <li>i) Conduct watershed modeling to assist in identifying WQIP subwatersheds.</li> <li>ii) Provide technical and educational support to targeted watersheds and assist</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	T = a) Ongoing bi) 9/14 bii) 6/15	Surface Water
	in WQIP and Volunteer Monitoring Program development.  iii) Provide load reduction data for WQIG projects addressing nitrogen, phosphorus and sediment issues, as well as other load reduction estimates as applicable.  Goal 2, obj b, strategy ii; Goal 3, obj b, strategies i & ii; Goal 4, obj b, strategy i	biii) 2/15	
NPS in PPG	<ul> <li>7) Coordinate with TMDL Unit to conduct BMP effectiveness evaluations and monitoring on past WQIG projects. (For additional information see Task 1.3.8 #3.)</li> <li>a) Develop list of projects and associated monitoring needs for FY15 based on waters identified in Task 1.3.8 Table 3; initiate evaluations.</li> <li>b) Coordinate with TMDL Unit to track</li> </ul>	T =  a) T= semi-annual table updates  b) 6/15	Surface Water
	progress in meeting WQD Performance Measure on 5 waters. Goal 4, obj a, strategy i		
	8) Continue to Implement TMDL/319 Kaizen and Grants & Outreach Unit Staff Workout action items.  Goal 1, obj b, strategy i; Goal 1, obj c, strategy ii; Goal 3, obj b, strategy i; Goal 3, obj b, strategy iii	T = Provide EPA with quarterly updates	Surface Water

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GRANT	OUTPUT DESCRIPTION	EVALUATION, DATE OR QUANTITY (CUMULATIVE) T=TARGET A=ACTUAL	RESPONSIBLE SECTION/ STAFF
NPS PA I	9) Report on NPS program progress and successes.	T =	Surface Water
PPG	a) Submit annual NPS report in accordance with EPA's annual reporting requirements		
	outlined in NPS Program and Grants		
	Guidelines for States & Territories.		
	<ul> <li>Submit draft for EPA review and comment</li> </ul>	ai) 7/14	
	ii) Submit final report	aii) 9/14	
	b) Participate in monthly teleconferences with	b) Monthly	
	EPA Region 9 to discuss NPS program activities.		
	c) Coordinate with TMDL Unit to document success of implementation in Measure W watersheds (see <i>Task 1.3.8 # 3</i> ).	c) Semi-annual table updates.	
	d) Report project activities and input load reduction information into GRTS database.		
	i) Input load reduction data for federal FY15 implementation projects into GRTS	di) 2/15	
	<ul> <li>ii) Input all mandated elements for FY 15- awarded projects into GRTS; upload final reports for all projects closed out during FY15.</li> </ul>	dii) 6/15	
	iii) Attend annual GRTS meeting and regional GRTS training (as scheduled).	diii) As scheduled	
	Goal 4, obj. b		

1.3.9 - FTE Funding Source	FTE	Personnel	ERE	Indirect	Total
NPS in PPG	4.77	237,447	104,477	160,533	502,457
NPS P&A (Base)	0.15	8,395	3,694	5,676	17,764
NPS Proj 24	0.25	13,991	6,156	9,459	29,606
WQARF NPS in PPG (Match)	1.25	62,500	27,500	42,255	132,255
PPG	0.50	18,924	8,327	12,794	40,045
Aid to Orgs: NPS Projects (NPS Proj 25)					1,247,500
Santa Cruz Watershed (NPS Proj 25)					20,000
TOTALS	6.92	341,257	150,153	230,717	1,989,626

### 1.3.9 STATUS OF TARGETED WATERSHED ACTIVITIES

Targeted Watershed & Pollutant(s) of Concern	Projects	Project Exp. Date	Project Status & Comments
Santa Cruz River Watershed	Watershed		
Nogales Wash (Mexico border to	plan		
Potrero Creek) - ammonia, chlorine,	development		
dissolved copper, E. coli	1		
Potrero Creek (I19 to SC River) –			
dissolved oxygen, E. coli			
SC River (Nogales WWTP to Josephine			
Canyon) – ammonia, <i>E. coli</i>			
SC River (Josephine Canyon to Tubac			
Bridge) – ammonia, <i>E. coli</i>			
Granite Creek Watershed			
Granite Creek ( Headwaters to Watson			
Lake) - nutrients and E. coli			
Oak Creek Watershed			
Oak Creek (– Headwaters to Spring			
Creek) - E. coli			
Spring Creek – <i>E. coli</i>			
San Francisco/Blue River Watershed			
SF River (Blue River to Limestone			
Gulch) - E. coli			
SF River (Limestone Gulch to Gila			
River) – $E. coli$			
Blue River (Strayhorse Creek - San			
Francisco River) – <i>E. coli</i>			
Little Colorado River Headwaters			
Watershed			
LCR (West Fork LCR to Lyman Lake)			
- sediment/turbidity			
San Pedro River Watershed			
SP River (Babocomari Creek to			
Dragoon Wash) - E. coli			